MEMO FOR: DTR

23 November 1971

DIA Declassification/Release Instructions on File

FROM: SA/CD

SUBJECT: Request by Defense Intelligence School for Information on OTR Courses

1. DIS has asked OTR, through ▓▓▓▓▓ to provide written data concerning 25X1A
the Agency's general intelligence courses, including "purpose, length, scope,
course curricula, size of classes, and student criteria." Information is
not solicited on operational or technical training, but is for management
training.

2. Such material would be included in a closely-held annex to a
(classified) listing of courses offered by Defense and other government
agencies to military officers and DoD civilian employees. The implication,
of course, is that such courses are open to personnel in these categories.

3. A second purpose which DIS has in mind is to compare our offerings
with theirs, to see if they are missing any bets with regard to coverage
or treatment.

4. At DDTR's direction, I have discussed this matter with ▓▓▓▓▓▓ 25X1A
I have also talked with C/SIWA and with C/AIB/ISS. I obtained from the
latter a copy of a policy paper, dated March 1969, in which OTR places
strict controls on the enrollment of non-CIA people in our courses.

5. Existing OTR policy requires C/ISS to consult the OTR Security
Officer about the security implications of exposing information to
non-CIA personnel, and with the Senior Training Officer of each Directorate
who would exercise a veto power if, in his judgment, one or more of his
people would be subjected to security or cover risks by the presence of
outside people.

6. In my judgment, and I have so advised ▓▓▓▓, we should not provide 25X1A
any detailed data in writing about our courses. Under no circumstances
can enrollment be considered open.

7. Recognizing, however, that it is the interest of cooperative
relations to provide something, I suggested the possibility of a briefing
to be given for the DIS Commandant, Captain (USN) ▓▓▓▓ his Special 25X1A
Assistant, Colonel ▓▓▓▓ and possibly one or two other senior officers
at the School.

25X1A

8. I believe such a briefing could be given here and could include
a general rundown on our "core" or "ladder" courses, including specific
topics or blocs, techniques used, and the objectives, of course.

9. Do you agree with this approach? If so, have you any suggestions
as to content, mode, and people who should participate? yourself?

10. ▓▓▓▓▓▓ to think there is some urgency in order that DIS meet 25X1A
a deadline. He also thinks we might follow the briefing with some
some of custom-prepared handout or even pages from the Training Catalog,
perhaps include an opportunity to observe one or more classes.

11. I'd like the benefit of your views.

Approved For Release 2001/08/31 : CIA-RDP78-06362A000100090003-3

DTR-6921

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : CIA Liaison Officer

DATE: 12 November 1971

25X1A

FROM : Colonel ███████

SUBJECT: Non-DIS Intelligence Training and Education for Military Officers and DoD Civilians

1. The following information is furnished in confirmation and clarification of our conversation of yesterday and today.

2. The DIS currently is attempting to identify and compile data on non-technical intelligence courses and courses with intelligence related subjects taught to military officers and DoD civilians by the joint educational facilities, the various Service schools and colleges, and schools conducted by other government agencies. This compilation, which is concerned with general intelligence courses and subjects, rather than technical intelligence specialities, should provide the basis for an analysis and comparison of subject matter content with DIS material to identify gaps in DIS instruction and eliminate duplication.

3. The first phase of this compilation, which is confined to JCS and Service training and educational facilities, is almost complete. I am now attempting to obtain similar data on formal training programs presented by CIA, NSA and State, to be added as annexes to the military portion of the study.

4. To this end, I would appreciate any information that can be made available on CIA training courses with general intelligence subject matter, including purpose, length, scope, course curricula, size of classes, and student criteria. I think that your career development courses would be of particular interest insofar as the purpose of this compilation is concerned. I am not interested in operational or technical training programs.

25X1A

███████████████

Colonel, GS
Special Assistant to the
Commandant